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### ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

TO: Members of the School Board

FROM: Julie Nielsen, Superintendent

DATE: October 8, 2020

TOPIC/PURPOSE OF REPORT: Changes to 2020-21 Calendar

RECOMMENDED BOARD ACTION: Approval

DATE FOR BOARD ACTION: October 8, 2020

### REPORT

The last edits of the 2020-21 calendar occurred on August 13, 2020. As shared previously, this is a year of listening, evaluating and making adjustments. As part of conversations with our staff and listening to input we have received, we are recommending adjustments allowing staff to have time for planning and preparation as we shift to new classes at the secondary level. The goal is to provide time for staff midway through the trimester to evaluate the first half of the trimester, plan for the second half, and for secondary staff, provide time for grading and feedback. In addition, to realign our elementary and secondary schools so that families have adequate daycare coverage when our K-5 students are at home. Below are the recommended adjustments:

Trimester 1: October 19 change from a K-5 prep day to a K-12 prep day (K-5 already had a scheduled prep day)

Trimester 2: January 22 add a K-12 prep day; remove February 16 as a K-5 prep day

Trimester 3: April 23, add a K-12 prep day

This evening we are asking for approval on the adjustments to the 2020-21 calendar.

# 2020-2021 K-12 SCHOOL CALENDAR, SOUTH WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHOOLS-COVID

Revised 10/08/20

## JULY (2020)

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
|    |    | 1  | 2  | 3  |
| 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10 |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 |

12 Mo. Employee Holiday

## AUGUST

|            |            |            |    |    |
|------------|------------|------------|----|----|
| 3          | 4          | 5          | 6  | 7  |
| 10         | 11         | 12         | 13 | 14 |
| 17         | 18<br>K-5  | 19<br>K-5  | 20 | 21 |
| 24<br>K-12 | 25<br>K-12 | 26<br>K-12 | 27 | 28 |
| 31         |            |            |    |    |

August 11: Primary Election  
No meetings from 6-8PM

District 833 Academy  
New Teacher Welcome

Prof Dev (In-Service/Workshop)

ATPPS

K-12 Orientations & Transition Days

## SEPTEMBER

|    |         |         |         |         |
|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|    | 1       | 2       | 3       | 4       |
| 7  | 8<br>B  | 9<br>A  | 10<br>B | 11<br>A |
| 14 | 15<br>A | 16<br>A | 17<br>B | 18<br>F |
| 21 | 22<br>A | 23<br>B | 24<br>A | 25<br>F |
| 28 | 29<br>A | 30<br>A |         |         |

Sept 4 & 7: Labor Day Holiday wknd. No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

K-12 Orientations & Transition Days

Sept. 8: First day of school

## OCTOBER

|    |         |         |         |           |
|----|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
|    |         |         | 1<br>B  | 2<br>F    |
| 5  | 6<br>A  | 7<br>B  | 8<br>A  | 9<br>F    |
| 12 | 13<br>A | 14<br>B | 15<br>F | 16        |
| 19 | 20<br>A | 21<br>B | 22<br>A | 23<br>A/F |
| 26 | 27<br>A | 28<br>B | 29<br>A | 30<br>F   |

Oct 14 end of mid Tri 1

Oct. 14 PSAT, Pre-ACT & Practice ACT test  
for Gr 10 & 11

Oct 15-16: MEA-No Students

Oct 19: K-12 Prep Day, No School K-12

Oct 23: K-5 A Day: 6-12 Flex Day

## NOVEMBER

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  |
| 9  | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 30 |    |    |    |    |

Nov 3: Prof Dev (In-Service/Workshop)

Nov 3: General Election-No School

No meetings from 6-8PM

Thanksgiving Holidays No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

Nov 24: End of 1st Tri

Nov 25 Teacher Workday - no school

## DECEMBER

|    |         |         |         |         |
|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|    | 1<br>B  | 2<br>A  | 3<br>B  | 4<br>F  |
| 7  | 8<br>A  | 9<br>B  | 10<br>A | 11<br>F |
| 14 | 15<br>A | 16<br>B | 17<br>A | 18<br>F |
| 21 | 22<br>A | 23<br>B | 24<br>A | 25<br>F |
| 28 | 29      | 30      | 31      |         |

Winter Break-No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

## JANUARY (2021)

|    |         |         |         |         |
|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|    |         |         |         | 1       |
| 4  | 5<br>A  | 6<br>B  | 7<br>A  | 8<br>F  |
| 11 | 12<br>A | 13<br>B | 14<br>A | 15<br>F |
| 18 | 19<br>B | 20<br>A | 21<br>F | 22      |
| 25 | 26<br>A | 27<br>B | 28<br>A | 29<br>F |

Winter Break-No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

MLK Jr. Day Holiday-No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

Jan 21: end of mid Tri 2

Jan 22: K-12 Prep Day, No School K-12

## FEBRUARY

|    |         |         |         |         |
|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1  | 2       | 3       | 4       | 5       |
| 8  | 9       | 10      | 11      | 12      |
| 15 | 16<br>B | 17<br>A | 18<br>B | 19<br>A |
| 22 | 23<br>A | 24<br>B | 25<br>A | 26<br>F |

Feb 8: No School

Feb 9: Prof Dev (In Service/Wksp) No Sch

Feb 15: Presidents Day Holiday-No School

## MARCH

|    |         |         |         |         |
|----|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| 1  | 2       | 3       | 4       | 5       |
| 8  | 9       | 10      | 11      | 12      |
| 15 | 16<br>B | 17<br>A | 18<br>B | 19<br>A |
| 22 | 23<br>A | 24<br>B | 25<br>A | 26<br>F |
| 29 | 30<br>A | 31      |         |         |

March 5: End of 2nd Tri

Spring Break-No School

Mar 15: Teacher Workday-no school

## APRIL

|    |         |           |         |         |
|----|---------|-----------|---------|---------|
|    |         |           | 1<br>B  | 2       |
| 5  | 6<br>A  | 7<br>B    | 8<br>A  | 9<br>F  |
| 12 | 13<br>A | 14<br>B/F | 15<br>A | 16<br>F |
| 19 | 20<br>A | 21<br>B   | 22<br>A | 23      |
| 26 | 27<br>B | 28<br>A   | 29<br>B | 30<br>A |

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

April 13: K-5 B Day: 9,10,12 Flex Day

ACT Testing, Grade 11

April 22: End of mid Tri 3

April 23: K-12 Prep Day: No School K-12

Apr 26: Prof Dev (In-Service/Workshop)

## MAY

|    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|
| 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 7  |
| 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
| 31 |    |    |    |    |

Memorial Day Holiday-No School

12-Mo. Employee Holiday-No School

## JUNE

|    |        |        |        |        |
|----|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|    | 1<br>B | 2<br>A | 3<br>F | 4<br>F |
| 7  | 8      | 9      | 10     | 11     |
| 14 | 15     | 16     | 17     | 18     |
| 21 | 22     | 23     | 24     | 25     |
| 28 | 29     | 30     |        |        |

June 1: B Day 6-12: Last Day of School for B K-5

June 2: A Day 6-12: Last Day of School for A K-5

June 2: Last Day of School Gr 12

June 3: Flex Day for 6-11 Students

June 4: Flex Day: Last day of school Gr 6-11

June 3: ATPPS K-5

June 4: K-5 Teacher Workday

June 7: ATPPS 6-12

June 8: 6-12 Teacher Workday